This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended): An inkjet recording sheet <u>comprising</u>: having a high gloss cast coating recording layer <u>on a support having air permeability, said high gloss</u> <u>cast coating recording layer comprising containing</u> a pigment and a binder,

wherein said binder comprises comprising mainly polyvinyl alcohol, on a support having air permeability,

wherein said pigment is a mixture comprising alumina (A) and silica (B), said silica (B) having an average particle diameter of about 100-500 100-500 nm, wherein the weight ratio of A:B is about 95:5 - 50:50, blended in the proportion of A:B=95:5.~50:50 in terms of weight ratio

wherein the polyvinyl alcohol of said cast coating recording layer comprises (a) polyvinyl alcohol having a polymerization degree of 1,000 or more and a saponification degree of 98.about.99 mol %, and (b) polyvinyl alcohol having a polymerization degree of at least 1500 and a saponification degree of about 87-89 mol %.

- 2. (Cancelled):
- 3. (Original): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein said cast coating recording layer further comprises a polyarylamine hydrochloride.
- 4. (Currently Amended): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein said support comprises has one or more underlayers containing a binder and a pigment on at least one surface of a base paper, and said pigment of said support contains synthetic amorphous silica (C) having an oil absorption amount of at least 200 ml/100 g, or more and ground calcium carbonate (D) wherein the particles having a particle diameter of 2 μm or less account for 95 wt % or more, and the weight ratio C:D of said this synthetic amorphous silica and ground calcium carbonate is about 50:50 80:20 50:50 80:20.

- 5. (Original): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein said silica (B) is silica to which cationic properties have been imparted.
- 6. (Original): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein said alumina (A) is γ -alumina.
- 7. (Currently Amended): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein the average particle diameter of said alumina (A) is about $1.0 4.0 \, \mu m$.
- 8. (Currently Amended): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein the blending amount ratio of the pigment and the binder comprising mainly polyvinyl alcohol in said cast coating recording layer is about 5-30 5-30 wt parts relative to 100 wt parts of the pigment in said cast coating recording layer.
- 9. (Currently Amended): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 4, wherein the average particle diameter of said ground calcium carbonate (D) is about 0.2 0.5 = 0.2 0.5 = 0.2 µm.
- 10. (Currently Amended): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 4, wherein the blending ratio of the pigment and binder in said underlayer is about 15 50 15-50 wt parts relative to 100 wt parts of the pigment in said underlayer.
- 11. (Original): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein said cast coating recording layer is a recording layer formed by the wet method.
- 12. (Original): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 11, wherein said wet method is a method comprising a step having the function of solidifying the binder in the coating layer while the coating layer is still in the wet state.
- 13. (Currently Amended): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 12, wherein said step of solidifying the binder uses a solidifying solution that contains boric acid and a borate.

- 14. (New): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein the average particle diameter of said alumina (A) is 1.5- $3.3 \mu m$, and the average particle diameter of said silica (B) is 200-400 nm.
- 15. (New): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein the weight ratio of A:B is about 80:20-60:40.
- 16. (New): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein the blending ratio of polyvinyl alcohol (a) and polyvinyl alcohol (b) is 20:80-80:20.
- 17. (New): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 4, wherein the average particle diameter of said ground calcium carbonate (D) is 0.1- $0.7 \mu m$, and said synthetic amorphous silica (C) having an oil absorption amount of at least 300 ml/100 g,
- 18. (New): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 4, wherein the weight ratio C:D of said synthetic amorphous silica and ground calcium carbonate is 50:50 70:30.
- 19. (New): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 4, wherein the blending ratio of binder in said underlayer is 20-40wt parts relative to 100 wt parts of the pigment in said underlayer.
- 20. (New): The inkjet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein the coating amount of said recording layer is 5-30 g/m² per side of said support.